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Baucus Announces Subcommittee on International Trade Hearing on Trade Adjustment Assistance

Hearing: Subcommittee on International Trade - Trade Adjustment Assistance
Date/Time: July 20, 2001, at 9:30 a.m.
Location: 215 Dirksen Senate Office Building

Description: Congressional authorization for the Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) program expires at the end of September 2001. The Subcommittee on International Trade will hold a hearing on Friday, July 20 to discuss the existing program and proposed changes.

Witness List

A Panel Consisting of:

Loren Yager, Director, International Affairs and Trade, General Accounting Office, Washington, DC;

Lori Kletzer, University of California at Santa Cruz and the Institute for International Economics, Washington, DC;

A Panel Consisting of:

Cindy Arnold, Executive Director, El Puente Community Development Corporation, El Paso, Texas;

Robert Rhodes, Director of Customized Training, Eastern New Mexico University-Roswell, Roswell, New Mexico;

Robert Carlson, President, North Dakota National Farmer's Union, North Dakota

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Written Statements: Any individuals or organizations wanting to present their views on these hearings to the Committee are urged to submit a typewritten, single-spaced statement, not exceeding 10 pages in length, for inclusion in the hearing record. The date and subject of the hearing must appear on the first page of the statement. Five copies of the statement should be mailed to the Editorial Section, United States Senate, Committee on Finance, Washington, D.C. 20510, and also to Kolan Davis, Minority Staff Director, United States Senate, Committee on Finance, 219 Dirksen Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510. Statements must be received no later than noon on Wednesday, July 25, 2000. Written statements must also be submitted on diskette in a format that can be read by personal computers (Wordperfect text is preferred; other formats will be accepted -- please identify format).